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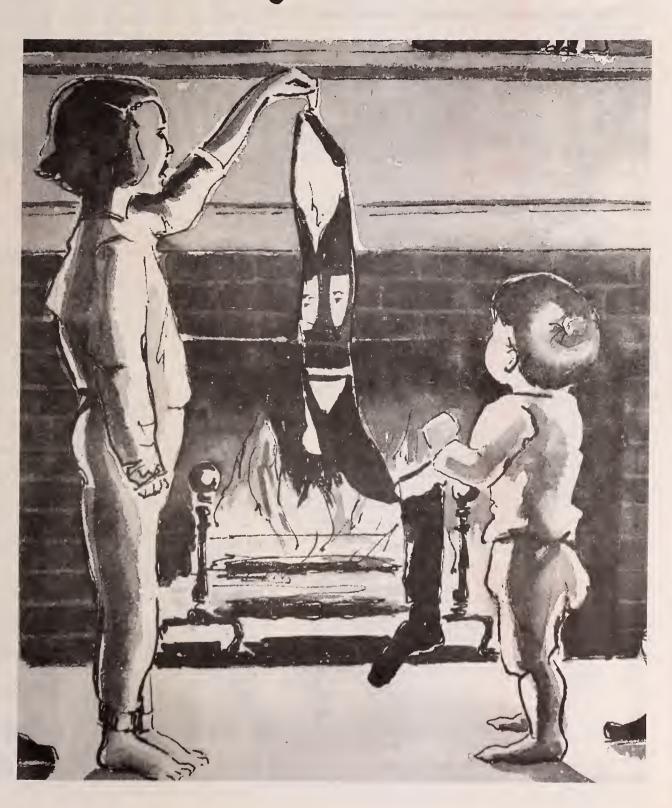
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line for the next issue of the Presto will be Friday, December 28th, at 4 P.M. This deadline is for both news and want ads which will appear in this issue of January 2. We wish you

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Christmas Eve Mass

SPECIAL MASS AT ST. ANTHONY'S

On Christmas Eve at 7:30 P.M., the students in St. Anthony's (Mattapoisett) C.C.D. program wish to invite their families and friends to share in the celebration of the Mass. This special Mass will fulfill the Christmas obligation. All children attending are asked to bring a gift of canned or baked goods, or a spiritual bouquet (a slip of paper with prayers and good works listed) to be brought to the altar at the Offertory. These items will be given to needy families in the New Bedford area. It is hoped most families will join in



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to share in this celebration, which has been prepared by the children.

Letter to The Editor

TO THE PEOPLE OF MATTAPOISETT

A couple of months ago I decided to run for Selectmen. I made this decision because I feel there exists a lack of managerial ability in the office of Selectmen. I see no evidence of planning for the future of the town, which is going to grow whether we like it or not. I see nothing being done to plan for future expenses, either capital or operating without causing tax increases of great magnitude. In addition, I see a definite lack of cooperation between town departments. We need a team to operate this



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like ambitions of some individual Selectmen.

You came here tonight to meet me and support me in the campaign for Selectman.

During the past week I have had to make some hard decisions. We are all in and facing some difficult times. One of my primary responsibilities as a member of Management of my company is to help provide jobs for some 3000 people. The current energy crisis makes this more difficult every day. Thus, my efforts must be increased in order to provide work for a lot of people.

As a result, the time I will have in the foreseeable future to devote to a campaign is at a minimum. In fairness to my family, my job and the many people of Mattapoisett who have supported me thus far, I have at this time made the decision to withdraw this year from seeking the office of Selectman.

This was a difficult decision to make. I am not one to start something and quit. I intend to live in Mattapoisett for a long time. I have a young family and I want this town to be the best place in the world for them to grow up in. I wanted to do what I could to make it that way. But I have a responsibility to them in other ways and also to my regular job.

If I continued to run I would also have a re-

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sponsibility to the many people who have supported me and to do everything in my power to get elected. I now see I can not devote the time necessary to justify the trust.

Before I decided to run a very well qualified individual was going to run but decided not to in my favor. He has again agreed to run and he will have my complete support and I will give him as much help as I possibly can now and when he is in the Selectman's chair. He is well qualified to be our next Selectmen and I hope you will give John Figueiredo the help and support you have given me.

James F. Greene

Woman's Club News

The Mattapoisett Woman's Club will hold a progressive luncheon starting at 11:30 A.M. Thursday, December 20. Members, who have made reservations, have been notified where to go for the first course. At 2:00 P.M. everyone will meet at the Congregational Church parish hall for dessert prepared by Mrs. James Harris

and her committee; and for marimba entertainment by Castella Ford. All members are welcome at 2:00 P.M. whether or not they have participated in the luncheon. Members are also reminded that a collection will be taken to defray the cost of Christmas boxes sent to the Brockton Veterans' Hospital.



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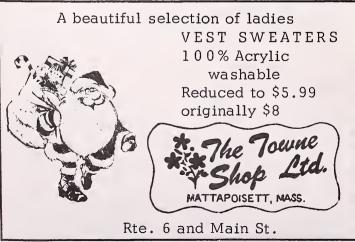
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The Spirit of '76

Editorial, D.C.J.

Christmas 1973 is a strange season. The colored lights are out. The regular lights are dim. In homes, the people keep their cool with lower thermostats. It is the end of one myth. It was almost a guarantee that the United States was so vast, so strong, so well endowed that it could keep on mushrooming forever. We could be lavish with ourselves and generous to friend and enemy alike. We could grow as fast as we pleased and the surpluses would outstrip the demand. Most Americans grew up with surpluses so huge that they became a public nuisance. The government, still a decade behind the facts, continues to pay billions of tax money for farmers not to produce. I think in this energy emergency that we are to come to grips with reality. It's an emergency rather than a crisis because a crisis builds and peaks and passes. Our problem peaked alright but it's not going to pass because our government is proposing nothing for the long range production of energy. The Alaskan oil pipe line was held up long enough to lose us the time we need to build new technology with comparative nor-

mality. Our atomic electric plans have also been delayed and stymied and we have lost this source which could have taken up the slack. One thing is now certain. Our oil is an extremely limited resource and most Americans know it. The average American has shown a better grasp of the situation certainly than our government - both executive and legislative. Our Congress, was so unconcerned with the shortage of fuel oil that they could delay the passage of the daylight saving bill for weeks while they took anoth long vacation. They are so preoccupied with a 20 minute hum on a reel of tape that they are spending millions in its investigation while apparently doing nothing to relieve the shortage of energy, the lifeline of this country. This is an emergency and emergency measures are imperative. The home heating plant is no luxury. We must heat our homes in winter. The family car is no luxury. We must have it to get to work and indeed to get to pleasure. A huge tourist industry depends on the ability of Americans to vacation by automobile and it's an industry too large to destroy without great impact on our eco nomy. On the short range we could do somethin now to buy us time. The anti-pollution devices, installed on new cars increased gasoline consumption enormously. We could gain back this tremendous waste by taking off these devices from cars which do not regularly travel in large cities and in California. Cars could be specially licensed to travel



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It is time for the United States to review our goals. Governor Sargent said we must revert to the simple life. This I nominate for the most simple-minded statement of the year 1973. We can not revert to an agrarian society. Our individual farms are gone, there are too many people and so few acres. We can't burn kerosene lamps because the oil is running low. We can't burn candles because we are an industrial nation and must have electric power to survive. We produce or die. The individual American has proved once again that the majority are responsible and level headed people. Thermostats went down voluntarily. Much before the limits were lowered, the vast majority of Americans reduced speed to 50 on the highways.

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All we need is leadership and direction but we do want to know where we are headed. A new energy program is needed with an effort similar to that expended on the space program but, vitally more important, in the interim we need time and the American people are strong enough to stand the facts, and reliant enough to make the sacrifice. All we need is the leadership required to forge a program and keep the economy functioning as we build.

This Christmas of 1973 is a strange one, a crucial one. It is rather hard to be exactly merry but it would be rather nice to have some direction to follow in 1974. We hope that the Congress of the United States can get holidays and tape out of their mind long enough to recognize a need and act with enough urgency to regain our means of life support.

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CONGRESSMAN STUDDS IN ROCHESTER

Evelyn Aiken, Rochester's Town Clerk, reports that although December 10th was a very rainy evening there was a very good turnout of residents who met and talked informally with Congressman Gerry Studds who is most interested in lending his support to Rochester's problems. This is Mr. Studds' second visit to Rochester.



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Route 6, Marion



Mattapoisett Town News

BUS CONFERENCE

President Gareau of the Union Street Railway Company met with Selectmen Tuesday night to discuss possible improvement of bus service dependent on a large subsidy Marble Hardware of Mattapoisett tax money. The Bus Company will submit plans to increase bus trips from 5 to 13. In order to do this, according to Gareau, they will need a subsidy to be determined. Selectmen do not intend to act without townspeople's approval. SHELLFISH CONFERENCE

> The Shellfish Constable met with the Board of Selectmen to discuss any shellfish problems with the public invited to bring up any such problems. No public showed up and so it is assumed that there are no difficulties. INSURANCE BIDS

> The contract for the Town Property and Liability insurance was awarded to Humphrey, Covill and Coleman. The firm submitted 4 bids. The bid accepted was approximately \$8,636.85 per year depending upon expected dividends. Eight bids were received. The other firms were Giles H. Dunn, Eleanor Lowell Correa and Peter Briggs.



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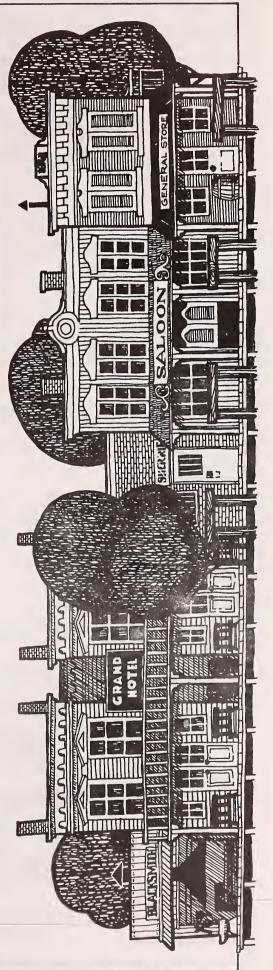


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TOWN RECEIPTS INVESTED

Treasurer Allen Sherman has invested \$100,000. in tax receipts in 90 day certificates of deposit. MRS. VOKES' LETTER

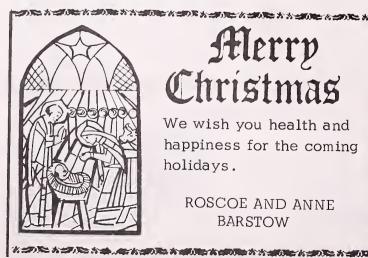
Mrs. Harold Vokes wrote on December 11th and said that her late husband was honored to have served the town for so many years. She wrote, "It was a great tribute to have the flag flown at half mast on the day of the funeral. Thank you".

ROSS APPOINTED

Dr. Joseph Kunces informed Selectmen in a December 12th letter that the Mattapoisett School Committee on December 11th appointed Mr. Marshall Ross as a member to the Capital Improvement Committee.

HEALTH AID INVENTORY

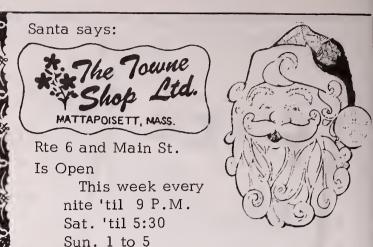
The District Nurse, at the Selectmen's request, is making an inventory of all health aid equipment, beds, crutches, wheel chairs, etc. for the purpose of determining its condition and to provide storage and control.



Alerry Christmas

We wish you health and happiness for the coming holidays.

> ROSCOE AND ANNE BARSTOW



ASK STATE TO PAY BILL

Selectmen wrote to William Cowin, secretary of Administration & Finance, State House, Boston, on December 10th. They stated that Mattapoisett had accepted, in good faith, the Police Incentive Pay program which, by law, should be reimbursed for 1/2 of its cost by Massachusetts. To date, the Town has received nothing from the Commonwealth. The Town is being forced to pay the State's share from their overburdened tax revenue. Selectmen requested that Mattapoisett be reimbursed for the Massachusetts 1/2 share on the 1974 cherry sheet.

LICENSES SIGNED

Selectmen signed all of the town licenses (alcohol, common victualer, used car and miscellaneous). Proprietors will be receiving notice from the Selectmen's office that licenses are ready and amount of fee. EEL POND NOTICE

Mr. Malcolm E. Graff, Associate Commissioner of the Massachusetts D.P.W., notified Selectmen that his office will do its best to arrive at an estimate of the total cost of the project within 3 weeks.

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Paul Bradley has notified the Board of Selectmen November 28th that the Fire Station will be kept not over 60 degrees, insulation has been installed under the second floor eaves, and overhead doors will be made as tight as possible. Trucks and equipment will not be run unnecessarily and gas will be conserved wherever possible.

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State Senator John F. Aylmer (R), Center-ville, last week called the pocket veto ac-



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heavy spending programs in the state Legislature.

Aylmer, who has vigorously pursued the various state reimbursement programs to the towns, cited the 11.4 million dollars owed for the fiscal year ending in July as money reimbursed in lieu of taxes lost on state owned lands and some 12.6 million dollars inserted into the recent supplementary budget to reimburse towns for school transportation. Payment of these expenses are mandated by law.

"The game plan is clear," stated the Cape legislator, "and year after year it becomes clearer. It is to shortchange the property tax-payers and totally ignore the state's legal obligations in a host of local aid programs, and at the same time impose more and more costs on those same towns and taxpayers with expensive, new spending programs. The Governor didn't hesitate to sign the Guaranteed Income Bill and the MBTA "Bail-out" legislation the many pay raises for bureaucrats in state government, nor did he veto the patronage jobs in the state lottery included in the present budget."

"He has placed Beano before tax relief to property taxpayers and tenants across the state and I think it is shameful. I don't know who the Governor is listening to, but his priorities are obviously jumbled."

"We can't shelve these moral and fiscal re-





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sponsibilites forever, but it appears as if the Governor and his staff hope the problem will

go away. I can assure them it won't! If new taxes are needed, it won't be because of local

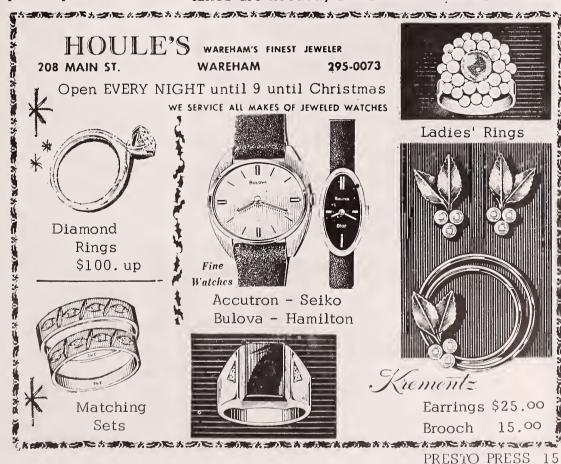
HOLIDAY HINTS

Foil pans from frozen pie and cake packages make great reflectors for Christmas lights. Just cut a hole through the center of each pan—and screw the lights through them...into their sockets.

For a safer and merrier Christmas, be sure the toys you buy for your children are hazard-free. Toys requiring alcohol, kerosene, gasoline or carbide lamps are extremely dangerous when placed in young hands.

To keep your Christmas tree looking fresher, longer (a) wait until just before the holiday to install it. (b) place it in a cool room, away from radiators, heaters and fireplaces; (c) make sure it's always standing in water to retard drying.

Give yourself a Christmas gift of at least an hour a day of pure rest and relaxation. You owe it to yourself to feel tops at the peak of the season!



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aid," stated Aylmer, "but it will be a result of vast new programs that were signed into law under pressure this year by the Governor which were designed to get votes from special interest groups.

Local aid is apparently considered to be of low visibility because the property tax-payer is not able to march on the Governor's office because he is too busy trying to determine where the money is coming from to pay the next assessment.

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ing action by the Governor, I intend to pursue every cent owed to the cities and towns for tax relief, and will not be satisfied until we pay our debts annually and assume a responsible fiscal posture," Aylmer concluded.

Mattapoisett Seniors

SENIOR CITIZENS' MEETING

The Senior Citizens' Club of Mattapoisett held a business meeting in the American Legion Hall on Monday, December 10th.

The monthly Whist and Card Party scheduled for the second Wednesday of the month was held December 12th at the Drop-In Center, the American Legion Hall. It was a very pleasant gathering. It was nice to welcome new faces as well as the regular guests who attend these afternoon parties. Everyone took home a prize. During the brief intermission delicious refreshments were served. The next party is January 8th at 1:30 P.M. Please enter it in your appointment book. These are not money making affairs, but social get-togethers. A small donation is

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COUNCIL ON AGING MEETING

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The next meeting will be January 8th at 2:00 P.M. instead of the evening meeting, until further notice.

The service center room #202 at the Town Hall will close Wednesday, December 19, and reopen on Monday, January 7th, and will then be open daily Monday thru Friday, 1:30 to 3:30 P.M.

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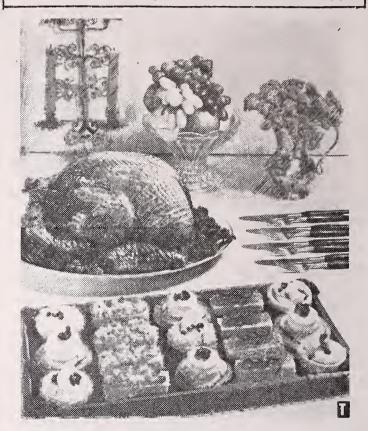
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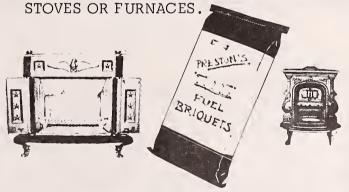
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Library News

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Rochester Senior Citizens held their Christmas luncheon December 11th at Tamarack Restaurant. Thirty-four members attended. Their December meeting followed at the Woman's Club at 3:00 P.M. where a very successful auction was held. Eight new members have joined. The Seniors have formed a weekly bowling team which meets every Tuesday at 9:30 A.M. at the Mattapoisett Bowling Alley. Beginning January 8th the members will meet at 1:30 P.M.

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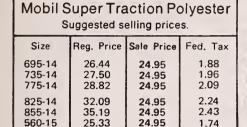
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O.R.R. News



STUDENTS ENTER CONTEST

Mrs. Melvin Miller of the Old Rochester Regional High School Home Economics Department has announced that Sonny Wescott, Carol Gingras, Kathy Lake and Gail Haskell have entered the National "Make It With Wool Contest".

Carol Gingras won an honorable mention for fine tailoring and design of her outfit at the District Competition held on December 13th. The State Competition will be held at the North Dartmouth Mall on December 27th at 1:00 P.M.

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The student named to the Student Government Exchange Day Program is Miss Kim Barry. Kim is a senior at Old Rochester Regional High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elderic H. Barry of Marion.

Mahlon Peterson has been selected to receive the Hugh O'Brien Youth Foundation Leadership Award.

Sophomores from throughout the world will spend the week of March 9-15, 1974 in Washington, D.C. for a Leadership Seminar on Government.

Mahlon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne A. Peterson of Mattapoisett.

Mattapoisett Grange

GRANGE CHRISTMAS PARTY

The Mattapoisett Grange meeting will be omitted Thursday night, December 20th, and a combined Christmas Party will be held with the Juniors and Subordinates at 7 P.M.

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> "Merry Christmas to all". Mildred LeBaron, Mattapoisett Grange

Y.M.C.A. News

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The Duty Detail will be in operation between Christmas and New Year's, December 26th to 31st, from 8:00 A.M. to 1:00 P.M. If you have any odd jobs such as carting away used Christmas trees or cleaning out attics or yards, please contact Tom Baptist at the YMCA for an appointment or an estimate.

The YMCA is sponsoring a One Hundred Pound or Less Basketball Tournament during the Christmas vacation. All players must weigh 100 pounds or less and not be more than twelve years of age. Entry forms may be obtained at the YMCA or call the "Y" at 997-0734. The tournament will be December 26, 27 and 28 and each team must have its own coach. For more information call the YMCA at 997-0734.

New Bedford YMCA will be sponsoring a Wate: Polo Tournament during the Christmas vacation. All players must be an "intermediate" in swimm: or better and be 12 to 16 years of age. Each team must be a minimum of 6 and a maximum of 9 players. Entry forms may be obtained at the YMCA or call the YMCA at 997-0734. The tourn: ment will be December 26, 27 and 28, and each team must have its own coach. For more in-

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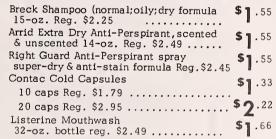
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Leathercraft and Floral Arrangements are among the new courses offered for the first time in the winter term beginning next month. Early registration should be made for the classes to avoid disappointment. Classes are open to everyone over 14 years of age.

Richard F. DiFonzo, who now owns his own business that developed from his hobby of



working with leather, will teach a 6-week beginners' class starting Monday, January 14th, from 6:30 to 8:30 P.M. Making of bags, belts and vests will be included in the course, and supplies for use may be purchased at the New Bedford Y. The necessary tools for class work will be provided.

Robert Charon, co-owner of the Garden Shop, will instruct his two classes in Flower Arrangements in his shop. The first six-week class will begin Tuesday, January 15. Many types of floral arrangements will be covered in the content of the course, including fresh, dried, and artificial materials, and also plantings. Mr. Charon plans to adapt instruction to the interest of class members, and will give suggestions to encourage creation of original designs. One's own decor or particular needs will be given individual attention.

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Parents are invited on January 11 to hear Mr. Red Blanchard of a local ski shop speak at 8:00 P.M. on "Safety on Skis" and to talk on what's new in the ski world, at the Senior Ski Club meeting.

Registrations are now being taken at the New Bedford YWCA for the Winter Term Swim Classes, starting Wednesday, January 2nd.

Prospective class members are urged to register early to avoid disappointments. Boys, girls and adults are eligible to join classes. People with fear of water are especially welcome.

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"In addition to my personal letters to Secretary of Agriculture Butz and the Administrator of the Soil Conservation Service, my offices in both the District and Washington have been in repeated contact with officials of the Soil Conservation Service this year and I learned today that our area was one of 25 chosen for assistant out of 79 applications."

The program, administered by the Soil Conservation Service, provides both technical and financial aid to local groups who wish to improve, maintain and preserve their ecological resources.

"Today's preliminary approval means that the applicant counties can now receive federal technical assistance to finalize their application for federal financial assistance," Studds said

"This program will give us the federal expertise and financing to make a concerted attact to save our dwindling natural resources in a balanced, orderly, over-all plan."

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Approximately 80% of campus building space will be affected by the five-week shut down, according to a University spokesman. This will include the Group I and Group II Buildings (the major classroom areas), the Textile Building, Auditorium, Campus Center and residence halls.

The Research Building will remain open because of continuing experimental projects which must be maintained at constant temperature.

While the three top floors of the Library will shut down, temperatures will be held at normal on the first and second floors for the benefit of clerical personnel which will migrate there from Group I and II.

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HOLIDAY RUBBISH PICK UP

During both Christmas and New Year's weeks, rubbish normally picked up on TUESDAYS will be collected on MONDAY, December 24th, and MONDAY, December 31st. Homeowners with regular TUESDAY pick-up, please put trash out on MONDAY of both weeks BOARD OF HEALTH

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will open sporadically, a few hours at a time, to meet unbreakable commitments in SMU's athletic schedule.

All hot water will be turned off in the closed buildings and temperatures will be lowered to 50 degrees, sufficient to prevent pipes from freezing.

Faculty members are still under obligation of the Federation contract from September 1 to June 30. The same amount of time for instruction and other faculty duties less four days, which will be reduced to two, is provided for in the revised spring calendar. The change is merely in dates.

Many faculty members concerned about the continuation of scholarly and research work, have been assured that they may use University buildings. The heated first two floors of the Library and the Research Build-

TOWN OF MATTAPOISETT, MASSACHUSETTS MATTAPOISETT PLANNING BOARD NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING

A Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, January 15, 1974 at 8:00 P.M. in Room 203 of the Mattapoisett Town Hall concerning the application of Frederick J. Reusch, Jr., Brandt Island Road, Mattapoisett, for a proposed subdivision of land on Mattapoisett Neck, to be known as "Leisure Shores, III". Complete plans of this subdivision are on file in the office of the Town Clerk and may be inspected by any interested party during normal business hours of the Clerk's office.

R. W. Blasdale, Secretary

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A Public Hearing will be held on Tuesday, January 8, 1974 at 8:00 P.M. in Room 203 of the Mattapoisett Town Hall concerning the application of Walter H. Apperson, Jr., River Road, Mattapoisett, for a proposed subdivision of land located on the west side of River Road. Proposed subdivision to be known as "Sawmill Road". Complete plans of this subdivision are on file in the office of the Town Clerk and may be inspected by any interested party during normal business hours of the Clerk's office.

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ing will be available to them. In unheated buildings they have been reminded to dress appropriately.

The emergency plan has been approved by the Student Senate, Faculty Senate, Residence Hall Congress, and the school Administration. It requires final approval of the SMU Board of Trustees at its monthly meeting on December 13, but a telephone poll by the Administration indicates that a majority of Trustees are in favor.

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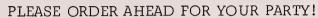
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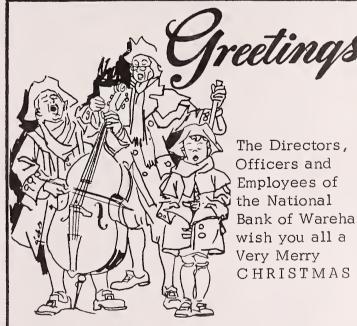
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